

NORTHERN TRIBUNE.

SATURDAY, JUNE 2, 1883.

DECORATION day was generally observed, and the occasion brings to the mind war memories that will not be forgotten as long as earthly history is remembered.

HORATIO SEYMOUR tells the Democracy that they act the fool about the tariff. They have many star performers in the popular play of "Fool," and it is inspiring to witness the alacrity with which they respond to every encore with a repetition of the play; although a heathenish repetition, it is not in vain for the Republicans.

THE United States owes it to her citizens that there is not permitted great hosts of paupers to be sent here, by nations who have made them paupers, by denying them their rights, robbing them of their manhood, and reducing them to absolute destitution. England would not permit us to send to her shores legions of poverty stricken, helpless creatures, to be fed, clothed and provided for, and England, or any other nation, should not be allowed to practice such unblushing, shameful, cussedness on us. Welcome to all immigrants who voluntarily come here, but veto all pauper transfer attempted by any nation.

DEMOCRACY will steer clear of Chicago for a national convention for fear Carter Harrison's side show would overshadow the big menagerie; they hanker for Cincinnati, and it won't be the first time they have nominated a man at the Queen City to be beaten before the nation. But under the old dispensation, it was here the innocent old bachelor, Buchanan, was elected the pliant tool of slavery, and some Democrats think that in this same city, famous for whisky, the Democratic Moses is to be boosted into the leadership of the untried, but after Moses is found, like the Israelites, they may have to wander forty years in the wilderness of defeat.

THE Democrats have gained a few local elections recently, and the times are famous for disasters. Indiana is rent with a fearful tornado entailing great loss of life. We are not orthodox enough to attribute all these terrible visitations to the wickedness of Democracy, but one thing is true, if the miserable fraud of free trade, perpetrated upon us, by English capitalists, should become adopted, there would be a terrible cyclone of financial and business disaster strike our land, that would tear the very vitals from our prosperity, and blacken every community with the ghastly corpses of bankruptcy, starvation and ruin. Free trade would be fatal, deadly poison to the working man who has a family to support.

PEOPLE talk with bated breath of the dangers of a tornado, and speak of the terrible accidents of this year in various sections, by which over two hundred lives have been lost, and yet the same men stand listless and inactive at the cry of 60,000 men and women who are annually sacrificed by strong drink. It is all well enough to dig cellars in which to hide from the fury of the storm, but who will deride the fathers and mothers who desire protection from the great scourge of intemperance, sweeping broadcast through the earth, its hands red with murder, and its voice made up of curses. The man or woman who asks protection from such a monster iniquity should not be regarded as either a crank or a fanatic. There is no mistaking the fact that intemperance is the crime of the age.—Inter Ocean.

SOME Democratic papers assert that Republican bosses assume that the negro votes belong to the Republican party, and then say this yoke will soon be broken, and the colored men will in the near future cast their ballots as they please; that the negro will be freed from their serfdom. These self same writers wrote and labored within the memory of man, to prove that the negro had no soul; that he had no rights that a white man was bound to respect; that this was a white man's government, and that slavery was a divine institution, and the only right a negro had was to obey his master. And now to see them write, and plead, and beg for the noble negro to vote the Democratic ticket, and lie down contentedly in the Democratic fold, is enough to make an angel weep and cause humanity to break down suddenly. Bless the dear old Democratic heart it always did yearn with pathetic sweetness and tenderest affection for the magnificent African, or else somebody has been converted, or (the moving world has dragged the old, burdened, heavy Democratic party a few inches ahead in the line of civilization. May the God of politics keep them faithful.

THE Presbyterian General Assembly rejects prohibition as the measure for temperance friends, but rejoices in every effort to repress the evils of intemperance by the education of conscience and public opinion. We have advocated this view of the matter and would be glad to have this common sense philosophy applied to all movements for the moral and religious elevation of man.

THE great Brooklyn Bridge was made a terrible death scene on Wednesday, when twelve people were trampled to death, and twenty-six badly injured, the result of a crowd pressing those in advance of them into eternity, through the medium of a most frightful death. If people do not learn better sense, this famous bridge will be as sad a place as the bridge of sighs, or the bridge of death. One says:

"I was walking along the bridge towards the New York entrance, when I heard shouting and screaming suddenly arise in front of me; then I saw hats, sticks, and hands, held aloft, and with one scream the whole dense mass surged toward the gates. I suppose people thought the bridge was coming down. Anyway they fought, screamed and yelled like demons. Children and women were knocked down and trampled upon and I was borne irresistibly out of the entrance. Then I found this little girl, who had lost her friends, and here we are—safe, thank God."

HENRY WATERSON, of the Louisville Courier-Journal, in an address before the literary societies of Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn., said: "To-day no southern man of character and responsibility would send or accept a challenge. He would shrink not so much from the encounter as from the disgrace, and less from the disgrace than from the contempt which has fallen upon the belligerent correspondence, the mock-heroic settlement on paper, and the reciprocal publication of mutually satisfied honor." This encouraging statement from southern authority forcibly reminds the observer of history, that since the fatal shot of Burr killed the gifted Hamilton, a radical change for the better has come to the chivalrous mind. The above sentiment would not have been tolerated in ante-bellum days, when first class citizens practiced Jere Dunn, and James brothers' tactics of cold blooded killing, and called it genteel. The world moves.

THE STATE.

Several of the Muskegon mills have to shut down a day or two each week on account of the scarcity of logs.

Lumber shipments at Muskegon for last week were 12,488,000 feet, and since the opening of navigation 66,236,000 feet.

Only 605 prisoners in the state prison at Jackson on the 26th, the smallest number for years. All are in excellent health.

The Pine Lake Iron Company's furnace at Mancelona, was totally destroyed by fire Monday afternoon, entailing a loss of \$50,000.

The Detroit Free Press says Senator Thomas W. Palmer's farm near Detroit is one of the finest pieces of agricultural property in Michigan.

The death of Mrs. Dr. Henry A. Reynolds, of Michigan red ribbon fame, is announced. Mrs. Reynolds died at her home at Reynolds, Dakota, on the 28th ult.

William Cramer left a party of young ladies on the bank of the Raisin, at Adrian, Sunday, and entering a skiff pushed it into the stream, where it capsized, and he was drowned.

Miss Myrtle Peek, of Mendon, the champion long distance rider, will make a match to ride any lady equestrienne in America a race of 20 miles or more for from \$2,000 to \$10,000 a side.

The Postoffice Department has ordered the establishment of Star service from Strongsville by Pickford, Stalwart and Goetzville to Detroit, forty-five miles and back, twice a week, to begin July 1.

On Sunday afternoon Barney O'Donnel jumped off a train of the Rosecommon Lumber company near Prudenville, struck against an embankment, rolled under the cars, was run over and killed.

From July 1, star mail service, leave Harbor Springs Tuesdays and Fridays at 8 a. m.; arrive at Cross Village by 4 p. m.; leave Cross Village Wednesdays and Saturdays at 8 a. m.; arrive at Harbor Springs by 4 p. m.

J. M. Runyan, a brakeman on the G. R. & I. road, was killed Tuesday morning at Reed City. He was setting a break on a freight car, when the chain gave way and he fell off the car on to track, and three cars passed over him.

A young man named George Payne, 15 years old, was killed at the Petoskey depot at 7 o'clock, Monday morning, while trying to board a passing train. He was cut in two below the thighs and dragged some distance. He lived until 10 o'clock.

James H. Brown, a Grand Rapids druggist, has just paid Edith Marshall \$4,000 damages awarded by a second trial in the circuit court and \$400 costs, for a mistake of his clerk in August, 1880. The clerk gave Miss Marshall sulphate of zinc instead of Rochelle salts, thereby producing a serious illness.

By an arrangement entered into by the principal express companies of the United States, at a late general convention held for that purpose, the Adams Express Company will withdraw from all Michigan territory lying along the line of the Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad, including Grand Rapids.

THE NEWS.

The Washington monument is growing at the rate of 18 inches a day.

Sharon, of Nevada, and Allison of Iowa expect to be returned to the United States Senate.

Kansas farmers hold over 5,000,000 bushels of old wheat, and over 37,000,000 bushels of old corn.

Arrangements have been completed for the re-interment of John Howard Payne at Washington, June 9.

The Ohio supreme court will hear argument June 7 on the constitutionality of the Scott liquor law.

The fiftieth anniversary of the establishment of Catholicism in Chicago was celebrated last Sunday.

The Irish and Italians had a set-to in New York City last Sunday, and several injured on both sides.

Ground was broken Tuesday at Niagara for the Welland cut-off on the Canadian division of the Michigan Central.

The Czar's crown dates from the period of emperor Paul I, and is valued at 3,000,000 roubles; equal to about \$2,240,000.

Ten thousand children attended the twenty-third annual meeting of the Baptist Sunday Schools of New York Tuesday.

The czar and czarina attended the theater at Moscow Wednesday night and were enthusiastically received by the audience.

The Presbyterian general assembly, in session at Saratoga, and the Reformed Presbyterian synod, at Pittsburg have adjourned sine die.

Thomas Welch, of Pittsburg, Sunday, struck his wife, when she remonstrated with a red-hot bayonet, running him through, and inflicting a fatal wound.

Gas exploded in the state capital at Montgomery, Ala., Monday, setting fire to the library, breaking the leg of and burning Librarian Riggs. Damage slight.

A flagstaff and cornice of a building in Boston fell Tuesday during a high wind, crushing an omnibus, fatally injuring two persons, and wounding others.

Peter's pence have decreased so rapidly in the last few months that Pope Leo issues an appeal to the faithful, to be more so in the matter of providing funds for the holy see.

Count Zacharoff, agent of the Allen Line at Galway, Ireland, who has been engaging factory girls for Massachusetts mills, has been secretly warned to quit that city on pain of death.

The sword presented to General Andrew Jackson by the General Assembly of Tennessee, in honor of his victory at New Orleans, is to be placed in trust with the Tennessee Historical Society.

Four hundred and thirteen Mormon emigrants from Switzerland, Germany and Scandinavia landed at New York last Sunday morning. For railway fare to the west they paid upward of \$14,000.

The Chicago Inter-Ocean figures that there are 3,750 licensed saloons in the city and that there are guzzled down per annum, on an average, over \$53 for every man, woman and child in the city.

The serious charge of purchasing a New York Sunday newspaper, and reading it, was made against a minister attending the Presbyterian Synod, this week, at Pittsburg, Pa., by a brother minister.

Congratulations were received by the emperor and empress of Russia from civil and military officers, the mayor of Moscow and the nobility, the representatives of the British army and the German military envoy.

The third annual meet of the league of American wheelmen took place in New York City, Monday. Bicyclists from Maine to California participated in the parade, and 2,000 were in the procession, which was an interesting sight.

It is reported that another encyclical letter will soon be issued by the Pope, directed against the land league. It will enjoin the priests of the Catholic church to deny the sacrament to all persons connected with seditious movements.—Inter Ocean.

It is intimated that Mayor Stowell, of Milwaukee, will not be supported by the city council in his fight against the saloons of that city. It must be that the city dads are in the habit of keeping late hours and do not want their supplies shut off at midnight.

Monday afternoon a tornado, in two sections, caused havoc at Neal's Mills, Ind., destroying several structures, killing five persons, and blowing a baby no one knows where. Twelve other persons were wounded. Other portions of the state received more or less damage.

There are rumors of a serious disaster to General Crook's command, in Mexico fighting Indians. The authorities at Washington, however, give no credence to the report. The latest reliable news from him was to the effect that his force had gained quite a victory over the Apaches, killing thirty of them.

Butler's recommendation made in New York, the other day, has set the Democrats thinking. He advises them not to go in for a tariff for revenue only, but to sail in strong for a tariff only for revenue. They spend all the time between drinks in deep study of the magnificent proposition. They understand what he says but they don't know what he means.—Detroit Post and Tribune.

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